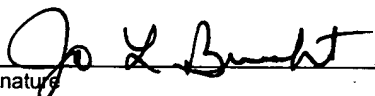


IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

In re Application of: Jahns, et al
For: Electrosurgical Hemostat
Serial No.: 10/621,893
Filed: 07-17-2003

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Sir:

We are transmitting herewith the attached:


- ☒ Response Transmittal
- ☒ Response to Election/Restriction Requirement
- ☒ Petition for One (1) Month Extension
- ☒ Return Postcard

FEE CALCULATION

- ☐ \$ 00.00 Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(b)
- ☐ \$ 00.00 Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(c) with Certification
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- ☐ \$130.00 Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(d) with Certification

- ☒ Applicant hereby petitions for a one (1) month's extension of time. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this petition therefor.
- ☐ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, if an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for an extension of time.
- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-2546 **\$120.00 for an Extension of Time.**
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees or credits to Deposit Account No. 13-2546 which may have been overlooked on this Transmittal with regard to this filing. A duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed.

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